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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION DATED MARCH 10, 2006

In response to the Office Action dated March 10, 2006, having a shortened statutory period for response set to expire on June 10, 2006, please enter this response and reconsider the claims pending in the application for reasons discussed below.

Applicants herewith petition the Commissioner to extend the time for reply to the Office Action dated March 10, 2006 for one (1) month from June 10, 2006 to July 10, 2006. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge counsel's Deposit Account No. 20-0782/WEAT/0471.P1/RWR the fee of \$120.00 for the one (1) month extension of time required to make this response timely and acceptable to the Office.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper. Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.